Amount spent (Rs. in lakhs)

	1	2	3	4	5	6
7.	Lakshadweep	0.430	8.062	7.313	—	—
8.	Pondicherry	—	6.451	1.871	3.469	1.335
9.	A&N Islands	3.788	9.762	8.784	10.858	11.262
10.	Goa	1.956	0.933	1.892	2.824	1.544
11.	Tripura	5.863	13.679	10.651	12.432	7.492
12.	Bihar	19.650	17.489	11.694	21.555	27.776
13.	Assam	16.472	23.223	24.551	14.102	18.603
14.	Madhya Pradesh	6.503	13.267	23.162	15.314	15.347
15.	West Bengal	4.953	3.180	8.312	6.058	11.000
16.	Manipur	0.386	0.392	0.051	0.343	0.584
17.	Gujarat	0.396	0.445	1.336	2.676	1.519
18.	Nagaland	—	0.306	2.41	1.905	3.515
19.	Arunachal Pradesh	—	0.708	—	2.524	—
20.	Rajasthan	—	—	—	0.499	—

—Nil

Crop Insurance Scheme

5066. SHRI BHAKTA CHARAN DAS: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the progress made in regard to the implementation of Insurance Scheme in the Agriculture Sector;

(b) whether the Government are satisfied with the practical aspects of the present Crop Insurance Scheme;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) the time by which the Scheme could be fully implemented; and

(e) the names of districts where Crop Insurance Scheme is being implemented at present in Orissa?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA): (a) to (d) A "Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme (CCIS)" has been under implementation since 1st April, 1985 in the agriculture sector. The details of the progress of the implementation of CCIS from Kharif 1985 to Kharif 1995 are given in the statement attached. Some inherent limitations of the scheme such as its non-viability, limited coverage of crops and farmers, low premia rate, voluntary nature of the scheme were pointed out by various States/ Union Territories and representatives of the farmers. Based on the number of suggestions received from the different quarters on the revision of the present scheme, a Concept Paper on the issue was circulated to all the Members of Parliament. A proposal for revision of the present scheme will be prepared after receiving views from them.

(e) The Crop Insurance Scheme is being implemented at present in all the 27 districts of Orissa.

STATEMENT

Statewise Progress of Comprehensive Crop Insurance Scheme From Kharif 1985 to Kharif 1995

SR NO	STATE/UNION TERRITORIES	NO. OF SEASONS PARTICIPATED	TOTAL NO OF FARMERS	AREA COVERED (IN HECTARES)	SUM INSURED (RS. IN LAKHS)	TOTAL INS. CHARGES (RS. IN LAKHS)	TOTAL CLAIMS (RS. IN LAKHS)	CLAIMS PAID (RS. IN LAKHS)	CLAIMS PAYABLE (RS. IN LAKHS)
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1.	ANDHRA PRADESH	19	8306472	15673010.00	327470.11	5673.55	16742.65	16742.65	—
2.	ASSAM	16	217614	88294.79	2057.97	36.13	50.90	50.90	—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
3.	BIHAR	18	2789694	360435.36	70635.30	1412.62	3495.65	3495.65	—
4.	GOA	18	14449	23273.55	127.86	2.54	4.06	4.06	—
5.	GUJARAT	18	6777260	16371609.00	305419.64	3734.83	70343.91	70210.38	133.53
6.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	16	24380	27744.73	319.96	6.38	37.29	36.40	0.89
7.	JAMMU & KASHMIR	3	54586	77358.00	789.78	15.80	65.20	65.20	—
8.	KARNATAKA	17	1818481	3124563.03	60345.97	933.66	2499.27	2499.27	—
9.	KERALA	19	379547	436381.07	12545.94	250.99	605.14	605.14	—
10.	MANIPUR	1	8840	4759.00	191.77	3.84	—	—	—
11.	MADHYA PRADESH	19	7013208	17549334.39	122201.64	1642.14	3433.00	3082.12	350.88
12.	MAHARASHTRA	19	12107766	15735289.32	197180.93	3284.65	13221.81	13208.14	13.67
13.	MEGHALAYA	11	14020	23366.07	295.54	5.80	7.50	7.50	—
14.	ORISSA	18	2257561	2973502.02	45770.18	891.14	3270.98	3254.87	16.11
15.	RAJASTHAN	2	535400	1544600.00	8296.89	159.78	2292.59	2292.59	—
16.	TAMIL NADU	18	1945182	2620334.69	81662.08	1500.10	2554.40	2514.30	40.10
17.	TRIPURA	18	34294	23199.44	603.22	12.06	6.48	6.48	—
18.	UTTAR PRADESH	7	2762178	5335468.00	43182.43	852.64	499.79	499.79	—
19.	WEST BENGAL	19	4158749	2622587.61	74072.16	1480.27	1511.58	1388.58	123.00
20.	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	10	3200	6311.15	98.96	1.88	2.16	2.18	—
21.	DELHI	5	372	1359.00	26.37	0.53	—	—	—
22.	PONDICHERRY	17	17561	36995.76	1229.79	24.58	49.03	49.03	—
			51240814	87559775.98	1354524.49	22125.91	120693.41	120015.23	678.18

[Translation]

Stoppage at Jalesar Road

5067. PROF. OMPAL SINGH 'NIDAR': Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether very few trains have stoppage at Jaleswar Road, Barhun;

(b) whether any representation has been received to provide a stoppage of Magadh and Poorva Express trains at the Jalesar Road Station and Kalindi Express 4023-4024 at the Jalesar Road Barhun Station;

(c) if so, the action taken by the Government thereon; and

(d) the time by which the decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ): (a) 5 pairs of trains each at Jalesar Road and Barhun are stopping at present.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Examined, but not found justified.

(d) Does not arise.

[English]

States Reorganisation Commission

5068. DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI:
SHRI KASHI RAM RANA:
SHRI PAWAN DIWAN:
SHRIMATI CHHABILA ARVIND NETAM:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any proposal to set up a States Reorganisation Commission; and